

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS SAFETY
HAZARADOUS MATERIALS INFORMATION SYSTEM
HAZMAT SUMMARY BY INCIDENT STATE FOR CALENDAR YEAR - 1994
SERIOUS INCIDENTS*

Incident State	Incidents	Injuries		Fatalities	\$ Damages
		Major	Minor		
Alabama	9	0	0	0	58,823
Alaska	1	0	0	0	20,000
Arizona	8	0	0	0	305,706
Arkansas	2	0	0	0	107,454
California	28	3	19	0	1,809,369
Colorado	21	2	0	1	753,411
Connecticut	2	0	0	1	50,857
Florida	17	1	3	0	661,425
Georgia	12	2	4	0	826,750
Hawaii	1	0	0	0	600
Idaho	3	0	0	0	193,700
Illinois	18	0	3	1	2,313,108
Indiana	15	1	12	0	224,098
Iowa	8	0	0	0	168,970
Kansas	6	0	11	0	213,724
Kentucky	11	2	41	0	244,845
Louisiana	20	1	1	0	211,946
Maine	1	0	0	0	4,500
Maryland	7	3	0	0	411,884
Massachusetts	6	2	12	0	394,299
Michigan	6	1	5	0	302,506
Minnesota	11	0	0	0	170,886
Mississippi	7	0	0	0	1,310,240
Missouri	9	0	0	0	1,404,786
Montana	6	0	0	0	84,313
Nebraska	6	0	0	0	103,877
Nevada	1	0	0	0	2,500
New Jersey	3	2	0	0	5,700
New Mexico	8	1	0	0	78,773
New York	18	22	10	1	1,383,693
North Carolina	9	0	0	1	158,925
North Dakota	3	2	7	0	1,204,700
Ohio	18	1	7	0	1,491,004
Oklahoma	12	0	2	1	489,010
Oregon	3	0	0	0	10,510
Pennsylvania	24	1	15	2	3,560,474
Rhode Island	1	0	0	0	30,000
South Carolina	7	0	0	0	76,505
South Dakota	1	0	0	0	26,300
Tennessee	14	1	0	1	8,288,615
Texas	36	3	11	2	1,396,471
Utah	1	0	0	0	99,634
Virginia	9	0	0	0	66,482
Washington	5	1	0	0	48,844
West Virginia	6	1	2	0	130,313
Wisconsin	4	1	1	0	50,355
Wyoming	13	0	0	0	566,125
U.S. Territory or Foreign Country	2	0	0	0	115,500
Total: - 1994	439	54	166	11	31,632,510

Only those states that had a Hazardous Material Incident are listed.

Source: Hazardous Materials Information System, U.S. Department of Transportation. Data as of 12/30/2004

* RSPA revised the definition of a serious incident in 2002. This report uses the current definition:

- a fatality or major injury caused by the release of a hazardous material,
- the evacuation of 25 or more persons as a result of release of a hazardous material or exposure to fire,
- a release or exposure to fire which results in the closure of a major transportation artery,
- the alteration of an aircraft flight plan or operation,
- the release of radioactive materials from Type B packaging,
- the release of over 11.9 gallons or 88.2 pounds of a severe marine pollutant, or
- the release of a bulk quantity (over 119 gallons or 882 pounds) of a hazardous material.